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NEW UNITED STATES UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION
under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b)

Atty. Docket No. 03797.00029



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Enclosed herewith is a new patent application and the following papers:

First Named Inventor (or application identifier): Gallo et al.

Title of Invention: INTEGRATION OF MEDIA PLAYBACK COMPONENTS WITH AN INDEPENDENT TIMING SPECIFICATION

1. Specification 37 pages (including specification, claims, abstract) / 54 claims (2 independent)
2. Declaration/Power of Attorney is:
 attached in the regular manner.
 NOT included, but deferred under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f).
3. 6 Distinct sheets of Formal Informal Drawings
4. Preliminary Amendment.
5. Information Disclosure Statement
 Form 1449
 A copy of each cited prior art reference
6. Assignment with Cover Sheet.
7. Priority is hereby claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119 based upon the following application(s):

Country	Application Number	Date of Filing (day, month, year)

8. Priority document(s).

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9. Statement Claiming Small Entity Status.
10. Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix).
11. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission.
 - Computer Readable Copy.
 - Paper Copy (identical to computer copy).
 - Statement verifying identity of above copies.

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12. Calculation of Fees:

FEES FOR	EXCESS CLAIMS	FEE	AMOUNT DUE
Basic Filing Fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(a))			\$710.00
Total Claims in Excess of 20 (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(c))	34	18.00	\$612.00
Independent Claims in Excess of 3 (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(b))	0	80.00	\$0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(d))	0	270.00	\$0.00
Subtotal - Filing Fee Due			\$1,322.00
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Reduction by 50%, if Small Entity (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9, 1.27, 1.28)	0		\$0.00
TOTAL FILING FEE DUE			\$1,322.00
Assignment Recordation Fee (if applicable) (37 C.F.R. § 1.21(h))	0	40.00	\$0.00
GRAND TOTAL DUE			\$1,322.00

13.

- A general authorization under 37 C.F.R. § 1.25(b), second sentence, is hereby given to credit or debit our Deposit Account No.19-0733 for the instant filing and for any other fees during the pendency of this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.18.
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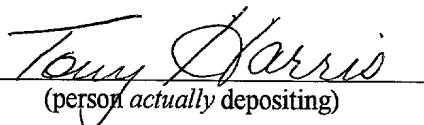
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In the Application of: Gallo et al.

Serial No.: Not Yet Assigned

Filing Date: February 2, 2001

Title: Integration of Media Playback Components with an Independent Timing Specification

- 37C.F.R. 1.53(b) Utility Patent Application in duplicate
- Specification (37 pages, 54 claims pages 28-36)
- Formal Drawings (6 sheets, Figs. 1-7)
- Postcard
- Unexecuted Declaration/Power of Attorney

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